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For: ANTEGRADE CARDIOPLEGIA CATHETER AND METHOD

Application Elements:

- [X] Specification (30 pages); 20 claims on pages 27-29.  
 [X] Thirteen (13) sheets of formal drawings.  
 [X] Copy of Oath or Declaration from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) with Power of Attorney.  
 [X] Incorporation By Reference: the entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the Oath or Declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.  
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